

Mineral Fire

Incident Update Sheet

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Date: 08/09/2016 **Time:** 6 p.m. **Fire Information Line:** (559) 790-6374

STATUS					
Incident Start Date: 8/08/2016	Incident Start Time: 10:32 PM				
Incident Type: Wildland Fire	Cause: Under Investigation				
Incident Location: Highway 198 cross of Mineral Springs Road, 8 miles West of Coalinga					
Acres/Size: 800 Acres	Containment: 10%				
Expected Containment:	Injuries: 0				

Structures Threatened: 0 Structures Destroyed: 0 Structures Damaged: 0

RESOURCES					
Engines: 41	Water Tenders: 11	Helicopters: 3	Air Tankers: 4	Hand Crews: 11	
Dozers: 9	Other: 26	Total Personnel: 796			

CAL FIRE FKU (Fresno-Kings Unit)

Assisting Agencies: Fresno County Sheriffs Office, Fresno County OES, Fresno County Roads, Bureau Of Land Management, California Department of Corrections, City of Coalinga, California Conservation Corps, California Highway Patrol, CalTrans, Red Cross

Current Situation:

Firefighters have made progress gaining some containment, however the steep terrain posed a challenge in some areas of the fire and they had significant fire activity this afternoon. Crews continue direct line construction on the fire assisted with aircraft water and retardant drops.

For more information on preparing for a wildfire visit www.readyforwildfire.org

Evacuations:

Are in place for Coalinga Mineral Springs Road.

Red Cross Evacuation Center has been set up at West Hills College 990 Cody Street Coalinga, CA.

Road Closures:

Highway 198 is closed at Alcalde Road in Coalinga and at the Fresno/Monterey County Line.